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SUPPLEMENTAL EXAMINER'S ANSWER

This is in response to appellant's brief on appeal filed December 21, 1998.

(1) Real Party in Interest

A statement identifying the real party in interest is contained in the brief.

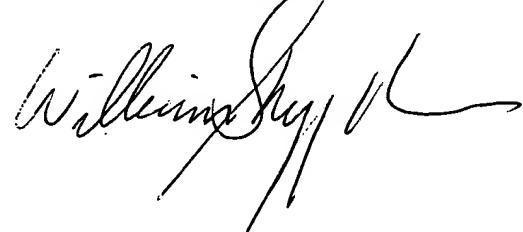
(2) Related Appeals and Interferences

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A statement identifying the related appeals and interferences which will directly affect or be directly affected by or have a bearing on the decision in the pending appeal is contained in the brief.

For the above reasons, it is believed that the rejections should be sustained.

Respectfully submitted,



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